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Examiner : Carlos N. Lopez
Art Unit : 1731
Docket No. : 11728/4

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : J. SUGAWARA et al.
Serial No. : 10/019,752
Filed : December 27, 2001
For : BLACK CERAMIC SINTER WITH LOW THERMAL EXPANSION AND
HIGH SPECIFIC RIGIDITY AND PROCESS FOR PRODUCING THE
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Commissioner for Patents
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

SIR:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment/Response in the above-identified patent application.

☒ No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

				SMALL ENTITY		OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY	
CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDIT. OR FEE	RATE	ADDIT. FEE	
TOTAL 8	MINUS 20	= 0	x6=	\$	x18 =	\$	0.00
INDEP. 3	MINUS 4	= 0	x18=	\$	x84 =	\$	0.00
[] FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE				x60=	\$	x280=	\$ 0.00
DEP. CLAIM	TOTAL		ADDIT. FEE	\$	OR	\$	0.00

☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required to Deposit Account 11-0600. A duplicate of this paper is enclosed.

☐ A petition for a ____ () month extension of time and Deposit Account authorization to cover the extension fee are enclosed.

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AMENDMENT UNDER RULE 116

SIR:

Reconsideration of the above-identified patent application, as amended, is respectfully requested. The present amendment is responsive to the Office Action mailed December 29, 2004.